

ACCEPTANCE OF THE EPCRA PLANNING GRANT FOR FY2025

Each year Wisconsin Emergency Management (WEM) provides the Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act (EPCRA) Planning Grant for funding of eligible expenses that support the completion of Local Emergency Planning Committee (LEPC) administrative requirements, hazmat planning, community preparedness activities, and local exercises in accordance with Wisconsin Statutes §§59.54(8)(a), and 323.61, and to complete EPCRA program requirements as provided by WEM under WEM Directive 2007.2 EPCRA Planning Grant Funding. This grant is given to a county Emergency Management program to assist with maintaining the program and supporting local EPCRA initiatives.

Dane County Emergency Management Hazardous Materials Planner meets and exceeds all items related to the EPCRA and LEPC requirements. The award amount for FY2025 is \$100,813.45. The award amount is included in the annual Hazmat division budget to offset the expenses related to the programs.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Dane County Board of Supervisors and the Dane County Executive hereby accept \$100,813.45 in EPCRA Planning Grant funds for Wisconsin Emergency Management for FY2025; and

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that the Dane County Executive is authorized to sign the grant award agreement, and that the Dane County Emergency Management Director, or their designee, is authorized to submit all required reports and reimbursement requests to Wisconsin Emergency Management.